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CURRENT TOPICS.

THE Indian can see dhe tenth further than the white man. ALL the pope's private fortune is invested in British securities

Ay acre of 1 and in the city of Lote don is worth £1,000,000 sterling. THE Scandia wift take a cargo of

frozen meat from San Francisco to Mania. A BUNDEED years ago there were only eix cities in the United States. Now

Among the latest uses to which cleatricity has been applied is that of heating bakers' ovens

A PHOTOGRAPHER'S POPCY Trust, coptrolling the entire output of the coun-

try, has been formed. ANTECIOANECTE bills have been introduced in the Texas. Arizansas and

California legislatures. THE coal miners' strike at Pana, Ill., has been on for nearly nine months, and gives evidence of continuing in-

The strike of the shoeworkers at Nashville, Tenn., has resulted in the establishment of a co-operative plant

in that city. THE Arkansas house has passed a bill prohibiting females and soms of members from holding clerical positions tu

By the aid of a recent invention for laying asphalt pavements one man can

low do the amount of work formerly done by 18 men. A NEW device for knewding dough has been introduced in a Chicago baking

establishment which does the work of ten men and will knewl 4,000 loaves of THE king of counterfeiters is dead, Russell B. Royt, the man who made the United States secret service mire

trouble thing any other single criminal in the country, was hald at rest under A DELEBUARD bridge party at Strood, near Rochester, England, on reaching

form the eccemony in the rains. THE Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe reading rooms and free libraries for

towns along its cutire lines from the carry and St. Lovis to California. THE labor exchange organizations now have 300 branches and nearly 15,-300 members in every part of the I mited States, representing nearly every trade and profession, and property

running into the hundreds of thou-MAYS are spread under the houses of the better class in the Philippines, to exclude dampness, and are daily removed and dried in the sun. Nearly all the living and sleeping rooms are about six feet above the ground, with

an open space underneath. Tur latest application of nickel steel is for the construction of racing yachts. A German firm is to supply the nickel steel plates for the construction of the rock, the yacht which is being built to sail for the American cup. It is being designed by William Fife, of Fairlie, and the work upon it has be-

To MKET American, German and English competition in the markets of the world the manufacturers of Roubaix, machine surpassing, in some respects, the famous improved Northrup. A workman operates six machines, which turns out an average of 140 yards each

per day of ten hours. Accounts to statistics it appears that the people of the United States consume more coffee than all the inhabitants of Europe. The annual consumption is set down at 318,170 tons for the United States, 136,300 tons for Germany, 77,300 tons for France, and only 12,500 tons for Great Britain, where tea is more in favor.

The biggest rats over seen in Brussels have lately infested one of the fashionable streets there, the Rue Berckmons. Every house on the street has been made a runway for the ro- Alger. dents, and in some cases the residents abodes elsewhere. The rats seem to laugh at the poisons and traps set to

One strange peculiarity about dynamite is that its force is always in the direction from which the greatest resistance is offered. When dynamite is on the ground the explosive force is side of a wall, its greatest force is against the wall; when placed under an object, its force is chiefly in an upward direction.

In Servia there still survives a wonderful old institution known as the Zadruga. It is the living together of a whole tribe, numbering sometimes as many as 100 persons, all under the absolute authority of one chief. He keeps all the money, makes all purchases and decides the minutest details

of family life. SOLDIERS are despised in China. They belong chiefly to the coolie classes. The German officers engaged some time ago by the Chinese government found that their most important task was to overcome the soldiers' own feelings basement of the Chicago Tribune a gang of counterfeiters who have been that they were a lower order of beings

than other Chinamen. MANUFACTURERS throughout Kentucky in many lines of business are up in arms over the inroads being made in their trade by convict labor. Chairs, stroyed by fire Sunday. It was the steamer, the City of Scattle, to Skagabrooms, shoes and other articles are now being made at Frankfort by con-

THE Kynoch Co., of Birmingham, Eng., has commenced making 10,000,-900 cartridges for the United States government. They will be turned out American inspector examines the work, and a special metal is used in their Chronicle, in process of formation wabufacture.

Illinois Organizations Declare for the Helding of a National Convention.

The Purpose is the Nom nation and Rice tion of Farmers as Members of Congress and State Legislature-Declaration of Princ ples

Avon, Iil., Jan. 30 .- The conference

of delegates from the farmers's organzations in Fulton, Warren and Me-Denough counties have declared for the holding of a national convention to form the national farmers' party. A mmittee was appointed with instrucions to begin preparations at once for he event. As quickly as possible representatives will be appointed all through the United States. It is clanned to hold the convention not bleago being favored as the conven-

Eldon W. Bradbury, who has been ngaged in the work of organization, read this declaration of principles, which was adopted without dissent:

"We hold that all men are created squal and are endowed by their Creator with certain inalierable rights: that it is to preserve these rights; that reversionents are instituted among men, deriving their just powers from he consent of the governed, and that whenever a government becomes de structive of these ends it is the duty of the people to alter or to abolt hit and e accept such measures as will insure

"We hold that the rule of minority lasses is contrary to the spirit of our nstitutions and destructive to ou

"We hold that the only free and just overnment is that in which the lawnaking bodies are composed of direct epresentatives from such industries recompations as have a majority of he votes in the congressional and legslative districts defined by our consti ntion and the laws of our states. "With an abiding faith in the trut

and justice of our belief we appeal to very former in the United States t in hands with us in effecting or ourpose, which is the nomination and cetion of farmers as members of con cross and farmers as members of our legislature. Agriculture being the shief industry in the United States the animosity and importance of on interests demand prompt and energetic action. To that end we urge an expression of opinion from farmers of the church found that the building was this country, as to the necessity of on fire. It waited around till the fire | holding a convention at the earliest was put out and made the paster per- and most convenient time and place to such measures and take such action as may seem becessary.

A brief discussion ensued over the should be one delegate for each district sending a representative to the lower house of the legislature in the respect-

A number of offers from farniers and dressed to A. W. Holeman, the orig-

CLEMENCY IS RECOMMENDED.

sen Eagan Gutty of Conduct Universe ing a Centleman and Conduct Prejudeal to Good O der

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30,-Gen. Eugan, ommissary general of subsistence, has been found guilty of the charges of onduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman, and of conduct to the prejudice of good order and dis ipline and of the specification thereto, and has been sentenced to ismissal from the United States army but with a recommendation from the court for the exercise of executive clemency Under the regulations the court having reached the conclusion that the accused was guilty had no choice in selecting a penalty, the regu lations prescribing absolutely the one punishment-dismissal-for the o

Therefore, the only hope for tien Ea gan is in the direction of commutation. mitigation or disapprovat.

Col. Davis, the judge advocate of the court-martial, finished his revision of

This action settled at once any doubt have fled from their dwellings, seeking that may have existed as to the routine Ambrose Spurlock was wounded in the to be pursued in the treatment of the as he reads the record he will place it the law, is the final reviewing authority. It is his privilege to add to or take from the strength of the court's downward; when it is placed on the recommendation that elemency be nown. The indications are that the early next week.

Mail Routes and Posts to Alaska.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 30.-Private advices received here state that the government will send three detachments of soldiers into the Copper river district of Alaska next spring to lay out a mail route to the Yukou river away about 9:30 Monday night. and establish posts.

Four Men Badly Burned. CHICAGO, Jan. 30.-Four men were badly burned, one perhaps fatally, by is under arrest at Olean, has confessed

Church Descrayed by Fire. SCHANTON, Pa., Jan. 80.—The First cintty. The pastor, Rev. J. Frank 40 minutes. The news from the Koyo- slouds Sunday and the wind abated. victs for whose labor 25 cents per day Matthews, several hours before the kak region is that it is full of prospecflames were discovered, preached on tors. the great Chicago fire.

Curcago, Jan. 30.-An ice trust, to

FARMERS' PARTY FUNERAL OF A. H. GABLAND. RIGHT OF WAY.

mains as They Lay to State in Little Rock, Ark.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Jan. St. - The re mains of Hon. Augustus Hill Garland, whose tragic death occurred in the supreme court chamber at Washington last Thursday, reached Little Rock at 7:35 o'clock Monday morning, escorted by a legislative committee, who met the funeral train at the state's border. The remains were met at the Union station by the committees, representing the legislature, the supreme, court the bar and other organizations and large nume bers of prominent citizens and escor:ea to the senate chamber where they are to lie in state until 2 o'clock, when elaborate ceremonies will be held. Thousands of people thronged the

capitol Monday morning to get a last dead statesman. The state house yard was crowded by 9 o'clock, when the is set for 3 o'clock a week from Mon representative on the one hand, and senate chamber was thrown open to the public, and all morning a continu us stream of people have passed slowy by the bier, silently and sorrowfully gazing for the last time upon the featares of the distinguished dead.

Among those who paid their last humble tribute to Mr. Garland were several white headed and feeble old darkies from Hominy Hill the Garand country home. These faithful Negroes have been in the Garland devotion to their old master was pathetle in the extreme.

The funeral ceremonies were con ducted in the hall of the house of repbrong of people. The services were inducted by Rev. W. E. Thompson, pastor of the l'irst Methodist Episopal church, assisted by Chaplain Dye, of the senate, and Chaplain Colquett, of the house of representatives,

Fitting eulogies were delivered by stinguished friends of the illustrious dead. The funeral cortege was folowed to Mount Holly cemetery by an numerse procession, where the interment occurred at 3 o'clock. The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful. many fine pieces having been sent by

Washington friends. THE SALVATION OF FRANCE.

Revis owner it it Premier Dupuy Sars All Documents Will H : Published.

Pants, Jan. at .- The chamber of deputies Monday, by a vote of 546 to 189, discuss our condition and to adopt adopted the government's proposal to submit to a special committee of the of trial revisions shall be brought be proposition that the representation in fore the united sections of the court of cassation. The report of M. Mazan. first president of the conet of eassation, on the charges of M. Ques nay de Beaurepaire, the former regularity of the civil section of that body, will be read before the commit abor organizations in various states | tee. The minister of justice, M. Lebret, introduced the bill and asked that I nal mover in the new organization, be sent to the committee. It was read amid profound silence. The preamble of the measure, declaring that the il was one of necessity for the peace and to restore calm in the country, war greeted with applause from the center and murmurs from the extreme left.

M. Georgesberry, representing the First division of the Seine, said the hamber was not aware why the poyernment introduced the bill and asked for the official publication of the evi lence in the case of M. Bard, who re ported on the Drey'us case to the court f cassation. (Cheers)

The premier, M. Dupuy, said he did not wish the chamber to vote in the dark. He was desirous that full light se thrown on the subject and, therefore, the government would submit to he committee the complete documents

FATAL WEST VIRGINIA FEUD.

Fierce Fight to Wa'ch One Was Kitter and Four Were Wounded- A House Attacked by Masked Men.

HAMLIN, W. Va., Jan. 81 .- A terrible battle occurred Monday morning in the mountains on Guyandotte river, next week. the record of the court's proceedings Jim Skeen's home was attacked by Saturday afternoon and at once placed four masked men, armed with Winthe papers in the hands of Secretary chesters. A battle ensued. Black Skeens was shot through the heart; Jim Skeens was mortally wounded: arm and Jim Skeen's wife and baby case. As for Secretary Alger, as soon were shot, but not fatally. The fight occurred about midnight Monday jured. at once with the president, who, under morning, 12 miles from this place. The ountry is aroused. Armed men are seen everywhere at night. It is an old mountain fend, and further trouble is expected. Much mystery is attached to papers will be in the president's hands a preliminary trial will occur here Tuesday.

HUNTSVILLE, Ala., Jan. 31 .- The Sth cavalry, which has had orders to proeeed to Cuba for some time, left Monday night for Savannah. The regiment

Counterfeiters Confess. BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 81 .- Charles Blanchard, who, with John Blanchard,

operating in this state. SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 31 .- Capt. Hun-Baptist church of this city was des ter has just finished a trip with his oldest church of that faith in this vi way and back in 6 days, 17 hours and

Cordage Company Starts.

Akron, O., Jan. 31 .- The Akron Twine and Cordage Co. resumed operaat the rate of 1,000,000 weekly. An include all of the big ice harvesters in tions Monday after a shut-down of five been appointed a member of the Canathe United States, is according to the years. Employment will be given to dian commission to fill the vacancy

Prace Treaty Will Be Debated in the Senate This Week and Disposed Of.

In the House a Vote Will He Taken on the Army But Tuesday Afternoon-The R ver and Harbor and M iitary Academy Bills.

Washington, Jan. 30 .- The senste will devote practically all of the time this week to the consideration of the depl sent a brief message saying that peace treaty. Senator Allison, chair-man of the committee on appropria-tions says he will not interfere at any time with the consideration of the treaty by asking to have appropriation at the desc. Much of the matter covbills taken up, and as a consequence cred the same ground as that the treaty will have complete right of areay published but it was presented

This week will see the close of the promitings were outlined from day to session and in open senate, as the vote twen Secretary Day, as the president's

of the present week. Senator Berry the other. The principal interest will speak Tuesday, Senator Spooner among the senators attached to the Wednesday, Senator Rawlins Thurs presilent's instructions to insist upon day, Senator Money Friday and Sen- the ession of the Island of Luzon and ator Chilton Saturday. These speeches after that in the decision to take the will be based upon the various entire group of islands. The resolutions on the general ques latter development appeared from the tion of expansion and will be correspondence to be a growth, and delivered in open session. They the suggestion was made by the comwill however be practically devoted to missioners to the president as the rehousehold since slavery days and their the treaty and will afford senators an sultof occurrences at Paris after the opportunity to say openly what they arrival there of the commissioners. In would say in secret session if the reachistispatch concerning Luzon he said Autions were not under consideration. there was but one alternative: The There will be an effort to get the United States must either take the is speeches in before 2 o'clock each day lant and assume sovereignty or return in order to permit the closing of the it to Spain, and of the two courses he doors at 2 o'clock in accordance with preferred the former. the unanimous agreement to that effeet, when the treaty will be taken up to cede any of the Philippines and she formally and the executive consideration of the subject proceeded with.

The friends of the treaty are still

most sanguine of success, and most of them announce that they will accept other islands of the archipelago in the no compromise. Others express a willingness to accept some such resolution as that of Senator Sullivan. Those other nations, and especially with Euprofessing to know say it is the policy to force the treaty to a vote before taking action on any compromise proposition, and that if spain. With Luzon under American and then to consider the question of that the other islanders would soon Monday week, so that, if the senate door. Furthermore there would b should prefer to accept the treaty with constant filibustering and we should a resolution of construction and in find ourselves spending millions to struction to postponing action for an preserve a state of neutrality just as

the house of representatives during is and. Gen. Merritt's testimony on the early part of the week. The final this point was cited and was made the Prior to this debate will be under the favor of taking the entire group. five minute rule in the main, although | The president does not appear to sufficient time has been reserved to have at any time given explicit inleaders an opportunity for extended by taking all the Philippines, but

Chairman Hull, of the military committee, is confident the bill will pass, saying that the republican disaffection will not exceed eight, while several tically over the Philippines and the affirmative votes will come from the question of assuming responsibility for democratic side. The opposition will the payment of the Spanish bonds for till recommitted.

nouse will turn its attention to the im- Philippines and the correspondence portant river and harbor bill and then shows that after the proposition to nav o the military academy appropriation | \$20 am 0.00 was made the negotiations bill. The river and harbor bill proba- proceeded much more smoothly and bly will have Wednesday two hours | were soon brought to a close. debate on a side.

quired to read it through. No exact | will the exception of Senator Gray, programme has been fixed for the rest | wie. notwithstanding he signed the of the week, but Chairman Mercer, of treaty, held out to the last against the the committee on public buildings and porry of acquiring these islands. In grounds, has been pressing for a hear- on-notable dispatch he pleaded zealng on some of the public buildings out against the policy as unpatriotic, bills now pending, and he is likely to unswerlean and inconsistent with proget a day. Chairman Lacey also wants | bit and good statesmanship. a day on public land questions.

The Hawaiian pill is the most impos tant piece of general legislation which will be agreed to a hearing, although its friends may let it go over until

Broke His Neck.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30. - George Brown, a farmer living at Norwood, L. I., broke his neck in jumping from a winlow in the house he occupied with his

Old Enough to Know Butter. ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 30.-Theodo Kirchner, aged 60 years, shot and stantly killed his wife, Paulina, ago 45 years, in their house at Newtony the affair, but arrests will follow, and near this city Sunday by the careloshandling of a gun which was accident ally discharged.

Guilty of Assault With a Deatly Weapon Los ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 30,-A. Bradley, the old soldier who shot Gov Smith, of the Soldiers' home, at Sauta Monica, has been found guilty of a moved in five trains, the last getting sault with a deadly weapor, but reommended to the mercy of the court.

Hat Manufacturere Combine. DANBURY, Ct. Jan. 30 .- The manfacturers of the lower priced derby hat have effected a combination to go into the explosion of a boiler Sunday in the that he and his father are members of effect February 1. The firms represent practically all the large manufactures of this class of goods.

> DENVER, Col., Jan. 30.-The snow storm, which has been raging on th mourtains since early last week, ha subsided. The sun broke through to 'u some places the fall of snow has been the heaviest in 15 years.

Dingley's Successor. WASHINGTON, Jan. 30 .- Representative Sereno Payne, of New York, has caused by the death of Mr. Dingley.

respondence Bearing on the Peace gaty Laid Before the Senate by McKinley With a Message.

omixoron, Jan. 31.—The president ty sent to the senate the correspondence on file in the state departmen woring upon the peace treaty. and I was read in Monday's executive session. The correspondence was sent onse to the resolution intro-

ductor Senator Hoar.

The submitting the papers the presi the form in which the

day. Notice has been given for set Comnissioner Day, as the representaspeeches for every day except Monday tive of the American commission, on

Spain was from the first unwilling mate a special objection to letting go of Luzon alone. The commissioners, with the exception of Senator Gray. urged that to take Luzon and leave the hands of the Spaniards would be to invite innumerable complications with rope and with Spain.

Much stress was laid upon the probbilitis of the future trouble with the treaty should by any chance administration there would soon be be beaten, to move to reconsider such a vast improvement, they wrote, accepting some compromise like the grow more and more rebellious, and Bacon resolution before final adjourn- with Spain's oppressive methods of ment in March. Almost a month of the government we would soon again find session will be left after the vote of that we had another Cuba at another

vote will be taken at 5 p.m. Tuesday, reason for much of the argument in give Mr. Bailey and some of the other structions to consummate the bargain

tion, to have left the matter to the dis ention of the commissioners. The entire controversy was praclirect its efforts towards having the which the Cuban revenues were pledged. The Spaniards from the first With the army bill disposed of the invisted upon an indemnity for the

The American commissioners appear The military academy bill is not to have been of one mind as to the wisikely to take more time than is re- dom of taking over all the Philippines

GOING ON A SAD MISSION.

Arrangements Completed for Bringing Home the Remains of Dead Soldiers

Washington, Jan. 51.-Col. James M. Moore, assistant quartermaster general, has completed arrangements for bringing home the remains of the solders who lost their lives either family, and which had taken fire while from wounds or disease in Porto Rteo all were sleeping Saturday. Brown's and the province of Santiago, Cuba, in wife and five children escaped uning the recent war. A funeral party onsisting of 20 undertakers and asistants, will leave New York city next Thursday on the transport Roumania for the purpose of executing this sad mission. The party will be in charge of Mr. T. H. Rhodes, formerly superintendent of the Arlington cemetery. who was selected because of his preeminent fitness for the service.

> To Curtail the Clerical Force, JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 81,-Ap. effort will be made in the house this week to cut down the enormous clerical force. The number of employes of the assembly, exclusive of sweepers, janitors, etc., at the present time, is stated to be 440, or about 100 more than ver employed before.

> Gunpowder Exploded. Massitton, O., Jan. St.-Gunpowder, which was being mixed for a sick dog, exploded, injuring Mrs. Thomas Fin-

Chicago Laundries Combine. CHICAGO, Jan. 31.-Every steam aundry of any importance in Chicago bilizzard has been raging in Rawlins Il be operated by one stock company the present plans of premoters do miles an hour the snow has drifted ot miscarry. Contracts of sale have badly. The storm will be severe on stock, as the snow is crusted, precen entered into by 38 steam laundry ompanies and negotiations are under renting sheep from securing food. ray to secure 42 more.

Love's Old, Old Story. SENTON, Ky., Jan. 31.-Alfred Hart, and Fannie Edwards, 75, have been to wed in the county

Mr. Clay (Ga.) expansion, upon which they dweit, both are in

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.-SENATE-Only

e bill for the reorganization and increase of of the islands was a matter for congress :

it took for his text the anti-expansion res m offered by Nr. Vest of Missour! but course of his speech merely touched a the constitutional question involved in proposed declaration. A resolution effected by Mr. Sullivan (Miss.) declaring but the ratification of the treaty should no gles were pronounced on the late Repri e by Senators Cullom, Allison, Wellingto

ing that Friday Cha attenden the idea of m for a regular army authority to increase the arms to a max

Wasterstein Jan 20-Sprace Senate for an hour and a half and again maenty speech of the day's session. The ripal questions under consideration play were those relating to the paysalums. There were various interruptions House-The house Saturday continued th sideration of the army reorganization

Four Men Killed by an Explos on SHEEVEPORT, La., Jan. St.-At 5:3 Monday evening the four 80-horse pow er boilers of the Shreveport oil mills exploded with a terrific report. A brick building, 100 feet square, was torn to pieces and four men were

CHESTER, Pa., Jan. 31. Sixty-seven

LITTLE INSIDE HISTORY. FIFTY-FIFTH CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. P. -SERATE-Two notaone by Mr. Lodge (Mass.), and the Mr. Clay (Ga.). While the two senadiffered diametrically as to the policy of layor of the immediate ratification of the pending ponce treaty. They contend that once the treaty is ratified, congress will have full power to don't wish conditions respecting the territory acquired during the wr with Spain

House-The debate on the army reorganizaion vill opened in the house Tuesday under ar greement by which the general debate is to un in hours, exclusive of three night sessions the final vote to be taken not later than 3 o'clock next Tuesday. Practically three propositions are terror the house the house bill providing for a standing army of 100,000 men, the minority substitute increasing the standing army to 30,000 men, and lodging with the president discrete mary power to call our 1,000 solunteers for a regency tervice, and a roposition to continue temporarily the regular army at its present war strength-62,00

House Not since the stirring days before the declaration of war hast spring has the house witnessed work an exhibition of exciment and such seemes of unbounded enthu em as occurred Wednesday when the two r cublicans. Mr. Johnson, the Indiana men ber, and Mr. Dolliver, of Iowa, locke WASHINGTON Jan 27 - SENATE - As the ser ate seemingly was about to conclude consider-ntion of the pension appropriation bill late. Thursday afternoon Mr. Butler (Pop. N. C.) effered his amendment announced some time ago providing for the pensioning of ex-con-tederate acidiers. Upon this he took the floor and delivered a speech, which as he proceeded, developed into a most interpreted atternace. While his colleagues on both sides of the chamber listened with in-terest. Mr. Butler defended the position taken est. Mr. Butler defended the position tak the south during the great civil conflict of ad of a century and. He declared that the th was right and that history would so ecord: and that every shot fired by a contnern soldier was fired in defense f the rights of his state conferred by the constitution in self-defense and in de-ense of his home and fireside. House—The third day of the debate upon

the regular army passed without notable inci-dent. Its feature was an hour's speech by Mr. Grosvenor (O.) whose utterances, rightly or wrough, was frequently supposed to reflect the views of the president. Mr. Grosvenor dered most cuphatically that the present untion in the Philippines was due to the op-sition in this country to the ratification of pence treaty. He announced that the fu-WASBINGTON Jan. 28. SENATE-Particular

een prepared. They provide that the presi-lent may, in his discression, enlist only 60 mer is the infantry companies and 60 in the cevair;

rather, after hearing a full explanacress was made with the army bill, the amendment being idopted being that

> me before the culories began was chiefly de the senate Monday for the Indian apclock, went in a executive session on the treaty. Mr. Jones (Ark.), lending the id when it adjourned 13 of the 20 pages ha completed. The committee amondmen also a series of amendments of the officers of the staff 331 they rious staff departments from 50 to 3 it failed. An amendment was however Monday was occupied in short spie:b

House Trainer Snedeker Dead. NEW YORK, Jan. 31 .- Evert P. Snede or one of the oldest trainers of race orses in the country, died suddenly o mart disease, aged 61 years. He was known all over the United States.

A B grand in Wyoming. RAWLINS, Wyo., Jan. 31 .- A terrible ounty. With the wind blowing 6

sow out of danger.

*********************************** STATE ITEMS OF INTEREST.

WILSON'S TRIAL.

Ugly Facts Unearthed at the Preliminary R chmond to Await Trial.

Loxpox, Ky., Jan. 27.-The trial of E. K. Wilson, charged with causing the vestigation has just been made into an leath of Miss Mary Cloyd, which was alleged case of Asiatic leprosy which begun Tuesday, was resumed Wednes- was said to exist at Cordova, a village lay morning. At 9 o'clock the com- ten miles from here. While the inmonwealth resumed its testimony. vestigating physician has reported that Sarah Wyatt, a domestic, testified to it is a case of hereditary cancer, and having found the instrument and the not leprosy, the people of the county medicine in Miss Cloyd's trunk, which are still terribly excited. County the girl had stated in her dying state- Judge Westover ordered an investi

ment Wilson had used in performing gation to be made by Dr. C. D. Dr. A. C. Foster Mated that some suspected case in the family of Mr. time during the month of December Martin. He found one child with its Wilson came to him and explained Miss face so disfigured by an eruption that Cloyd's condition, and requested of the its features were scarcely distinguishphysician a prescription, but it was re- able. Another member was disfigured used. Two weeks later Wilson went by a large protuberance on the left ng certain instruments asked for the to be due to hereditary cancer, and not oan of them. Wilson said he wanted leprosy. The disease has first appeared o use them on Miss Cloyd. Wilson in the form of spots on the skin, which then said that he was going to buy a developed into eruptions, and this catheter. Dr. Kunz, druggist of Lon- caused the report of leprosy. lon, testified to Wilson's buying the catheter. This concluded the testinoney for the commonwealth. Wilson goes to Richmond jail to await the

ONE DEAD THE OTHER DYING

wo Kentucky Farmers Fight a Duel With Knives-They Quarreled Over a Settlement of Tobacco Crop.

February term of court here.

BALLARDSVILLE, Ky., Jan. 31 .- Whittaker Manns and Howard Harlan fought a terrible duel with Barlow enives in McWilliams' blacksmith shop here Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock. The men quarreled over the settlement of a crop of tobacco, and at a meeting Monday morning agreed to settle it. They sprang at each other, and in a few minutes were bleeding and exhausted from stabs and cuts. Itut their fury was unabated. They waited a moment and then resumed the combat. The second one was to death. When it ended Manns was dead. Harlan will die. Both were respected farmers, and lived on adjoining farms.

Both May Die. BEATTYVILLE, Ky., Jan. 31 .- A trag edy occurred here. The principal par- an epidemic. It is thought that all of ties engaged were John Toler, Letcher it was brought from Cincinnati. No Vanderpool, Rich Toler and Berry fatalities are anticipated, but great as limb, after Mr. Henderson (Ia.), one of Berry Dunigan, who seems to have a spread of the disease. The guard of effort leaders of the majority, had threat beauty the site half to be a positive about the site half to be about the site half to be a positive about the si Junigan. been the chief actor in the play, made | police about the city hall is being conhis escape. Toler, it is thought, is mortally wounded, and Vanderpool Monday morning in the city hall. will also probably die. A man named Combs was badly wounded.

After Scott's Piece FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 27.-State Aulitor S. H. Stone will leave for Washington Thursday to make formal applieation to succeed Senator Scott as commissioner of internal revenue. It Stone succeeds in landing the place Gov. Bradley will have to name Stone's successor to serve until next January. It is probable that Congressman Walter Evans, of Louisville, will oppose Stone for the commissionership.

A. Hart, aged 75, and Fannie Edwards,

Boy's Fatal Mistake. LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 27.-Julier Brent, aged 11 years, accidentally shot himself through the temple Wednesday night. The boy was playing with a revolver which he did not know was lors distillery plant, near Versailles, loaded. Placing it to his temple he pulled the trigger and fell a corpse. Kentucky, was sold Monday by Zach. The boy lived with his parents at 516 T. Sellers to Joseph S. McDonald for

East Walnut street. Green Groots Man Conveted. OWENSBORO, Ky., Jan. 28.-Ted Hall, of Morganfield, who has been on trial for two days in the United States court here, was Thursday found guilty of sending green goods circulars through dynamite. He was holding 11 sticks of the mails. Everett Jolly, for misappropriating post office funds, was senand they were accidently exploded. tenced to two years in the Columbus

(O.) penitentiary. Jolly is highly connected. LEXINGTON, Ky., Jan. 28.-Hou. James H. Mulligan and Hop. M. C. Al- chased of F. S. Stucy 513,600 pounds at ford, of the Lexington Encampment, bureau, returned from Washington There are 428 hogsheads in the lot. Thursday. According to their report Lexington will likely be one of the places selected for recuperating camps of the army now in service in Cuba and

ing of the populist state executive Porto Rico. Poisoned by Blackberries. LONDON, Ky., Jan. 31. - Stepher Moore, wife and four children are lying in a critical condition at their home near Pittsburg, poisoned by eating canned blackberries. Mr. Moore is Gilbert, also colored, at Junction City, not expected to live, but the others are

convalescent. Capt. Ettis Resigns.

LOCISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 29. - Capt. and First Assistant Surgeon Ellis Dunean, 1st regiment Kentucky volunteers, who served throughout the campaign in days, returned a verdiet for Judge Porto Rico, has tendered his resigna- Beckner, the plaintiff, awarding him, tion from the army. for. An appeal will probably be taken.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 29.-The fol-

owing voluntary petitions in bank-

cuptey were filed Friday: J. L. Eblin,

bilitles \$1.871, assets \$587. LEXINGTON, Ky., Jan. 28,-J. W. O'D il, the commission broker, is still absent from this city, and his customers are uneasy. One of them has at

firm and others have gone to Cincianati to look for the missing broker.

tached the office fixtures of O'Deli's

HENDERSON, Ky., Jan. 27. - At King's the county poornouse for the present day.

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Biereditary Cancer WILLIAMSTOWN, Ky., Jan. 28. - An in

a the doctor's room, and mention, side of the head. He pronounced these

FROZEN TO DEATH.

The Body of Mrs. Emma Borger, a Morphine Frend, Found in the Brek Yard of Her Resideres

RUSSELLVILLE, Ky., Jan. 31 .- Mrs. Emma Borger, a morphine fiend, was found dead in the back yard of her residence at 9 o'clock Sunday morning. She was not missed until morning and her people thought she was in her room all night. When found she was frozen stiff. It is supposed that she took an overdose of morphine, and. when the stupor came over her she was unable to get back to the house. She had sold nearly everything in her house and nearly all of her clothing in order to get money to buy morphine with. She was a complete wreek. Mrs. Borger was the wife of a prominent lawyer of Kansas, but they had not

No Danger of a Smallout Englewie.

lived together for some years.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 31.-There are now 32 genuine cases of smallpox in the Eruptive hospital here. All the patients are Negroes and the health officer says that there is no danger of precautions are being taken to preve tinued. One new case was discovered

HARRODSBURG, Ky., Jan. 31 .- John Leonard is in possession of between \$4,000 and \$5,000 in gold and silver,

buried during the civil war by his father-in-law, John Scoffeid. It was found on the Scoffeld farm in an old rotten wooden box about three feet under ground. Azed Couple Married. Benroy, Ky., Jan. 31 .- The marriage of the oldest couple ever wedded in the

aged 75. This is the second time the groom has been married and the third

county has just taken place. They are

time for the bride. Distillery Sold. VERSAILLES, Kv., Jan. 3t.-The Selone of the oldest whisky distilleries in

Killed By Dynamite. Louisa, Ky., Jan. 3t .- Charles Martin, employed on the construction force of a gas pipe line through this section, was killed by a discharge of the powerful explosive in his hand.

GHENT, Ky., Jan. 30 .- A gigantic dea; in leaf tobacco was effected here in which the Continental Tobacco Co. purprices better than on the market. The Meeting Postponed LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 31.—The meet-

Big Loaf Tobacc : Deal.

committee has been postponed from February 1 to February 27, on account of the inability of members to attend. S atenced To the Pen For L fe. DANVILLE, Ky., Jan. 30.-James smith, the Negro who killed William

over 25 cents, was Saturday morning sentenced to the penitentiary for life. Judge Breuner Won. RICHMOND, Ky., Jan. 29.-The jury in the celebrated Beckner-Asher case, after wrestling with the evidence for two however, only \$5,000 of the \$30,000 sued

Burned To Death. TOMPRISSVILLE, Ky., Jan. 29.-Mrs. Meriah Bigsby, an aged woman who Shelby county, liabilities \$5,776, assets lived alone, was found burned to death 8845; W. E. Gilkeson, of Versailles, lia- in her home near Three Springs, Hart

Candidate for Railroad Commissioner

HOPKINSVILLE, Ky., Jan. 28 - The

democratic committee of the First railwould district has called a convention to meet at Hopkinsville March 8, to cominate a candidate for railroad com-

HENDERSON, Ky., Jan. 27.-Rev. J. J.

Dalton, of Selma, Ala., has accepted adets of the Pennsylvania military Mills J. K. Culver found a new-born the call to the pastorate of the Cumacademy were poisoned Monday pre- white boy baby in a small trunk on berland Presbyterian church here, and sarried. They are the oldest couple annably from eating turkey. All are his back porch. The child was sent to will deliver his first sermon next Sup-